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The representations received against the I.S.S. List of Superintendents, Managers, Head Clerks and Accountants, Stenographers and Typists, Laboratory Assistants and Artists have been sent to the State Advisory Committee with the comments of the State Government and they are still pending with the Committee. The I.S.S. Lists of these cadres can be finalised only after receipt of the decisions of Government of India in the light of the recommendations of the Committee. The representations received against the I.S.S. Lists of I and II Division Clerks and Draughtsmen and Tracers are under scrutiny and are expected to be sent to the State Advisory Committee with the comments of the State Government shortly. The provisional I.S.S. Lists in respect of the cadres of Agricultural Demonstrators, Field Assistants, Fieldmen and certain other minor cadres are yet to be published. Necessary action is being taken to expedite their publication.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) There is same amount of dissatisfaction.

(*d*) In the matter of integration of services, there is bound to be some dissatisfaction. The representations of the aggrieved officials are sent to the Central Government for their decision.

(*e*) 365.

(*f*) Before the end of this year.

SENIORITY LISTS OF THE OFFICIALS OF THE MEDICAL AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT IN THE STATE.

*Q.—596. SMT. NAGARATHNAMMA HIREMATH (Gandhinagar) .—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the reasons for not yet finalising the the Seniority Lists of the Officials of Medical and Public Health Department in the State even though the same is being prepared from the last eight years ;

(*b*) whether any definite principles, rules, etc., are being followed in finalising the said seniority list ;

(*c*) whether it has come to their notice that the inordinate delay in preparing the seniority list has created disqualification among many officials in the State, thereby impeding the achievement of emotional integration ;

(*d*) whether it is a fact that many of the officials have represented to the Government stating that injustice has been caused to them in fixing their seniority;

(*e*) if so, the number of such officials;

(*f*) when they propose to finalise the said seniority list?

A.—SRI S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) Under the State Reorganisation Act, the authority to decide the final equivalence of posts rests with the Central Government, the function of the State Government being to assist the Central Government by furnishing all the necessary data by way of publishing a provisional Inter-State Seniority List giving the equivalence of posts.

The provisional Inter-State Seniority Lists of the Gazetted Officers of the Medical and Public Health Departments were published in 1957 calling for objections. The representations of the aggrieved officers against the provisional Lists have been forwarded to the Government of India with the comments of the State Government for consideration and decision in consultation with the Central Advisory Committee, and the decisions of the Government of India thereon are awaited. These lists can be finalised only after receipt of the decisions of the Government of India.

As regards the non-gazetted cadres, the provisional lists were in the first instance prepared by the Departmental Head and the same circulated for objections. The representation of the aggrieved officers against the departmental provisional lists were considered by the State Government and certain changes made. In accordance with the High Court's decision in a Writ Petition, before publishing the revised provisional Lists by Government, the changes proposed to be made in the Departmental provisional Lists have to be notified calling for objections.

After observing the above procedure, the revised provisional I.S.S. Lists of all the non-Gazetted cadres in the Medical and Public Health Departments have been published by Government. In respect of the cadres of Assistant Surgeons, Grade III, Compounders and Midwives, final I.S.S. Lists have also been published in accordance with the decisions of the Government of India on the representations of the aggrieved officers. The representations of the non-Gazetted Officers of the Public Health Department have been placed before the State Advisory Committee with the Comments of the State Government, for consideration and submission of necessary recommendations to the Government of India. The representations are still pending with the Advisory Committee and the Lists can be finalised only after receipt of the decisions of the Government of India on the representations in the light of the recommendations of

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the State Advisory Committee. The representations relating to the Nurses and Ministerial staff of the Medical Department are yet to be forwarded to the State Advisory Committee with the comments of the State Government. Necessary action is being taken to expedite their transmission.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) There is some amount of dissatisfaction.

(*d*) In the matter of integration of services, there is bound to be some dissatisfaction. The representations of the aggrieved officials are sent to the Central Government of their decision.

(*e*) Medical Department—191.

Public Health Department—313.

(*f*) Before the end of this year.

PADDY AND RAGI GROWN BY THE REGISTERED SEED GROWERS.

*Q.—610. SRI S. KARIAPPA (Kanakapura).

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the quantity of paddy and Ragi grown by the Registered Seed Growers in Bangalore Rural Districts during the year 1963-64 (Taluk-wise figures) ;

(*b*) the quantity of each of these collected by the Department or other agencies ; (Taluk-wise information) ;

(*c*) the total area of Paddy and Ragi to be sown during the coming summer in the said district ; (taluk-wise) ;

(*d*) whether sufficient quantities of inorganic manures have been stocked for the summer crops ;

(*e*) if so, the quantity stocked under each variety of inorganic mannure ?

*A.—SRI H. C. BORAIAH (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) Particulars are given in the appended statement.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) 1. Urea— 340 tons.
2. Amn. Sulphate—1052 tons.
3. Super—261 tons.
4. C.A.N.—550 tons.
5. A.S.N.—300 tons.